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26 May 1958

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ROUTINE

OUT 78403

PRIORITY

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SYRIA AS OF 17 MAY.

1. HAMA AIRFIELD: 7 FRESCOS, 6 T-6 TYPE AIRCRAFT, 8 AA GUNS IN TOW BEHIND TRUCKS AND ONE WHIFF TYPE RADAR.
2. MILITARY CAMPS: SURWAYDA MILITARY (3242N 3634E) CONSISTS OF TWO SMALL AREAS ON EAST EDGE OF TOWN EACH CONTAINING TEN BLDGS; ONE AREA AN OLD FORT. AT MILITARY CAMP NORTHWEST EDGE OF HAMA: 2 ARMORED CARS, 28 VEHICLES, 29 VEHICLES SOME U/I STORAGE NOTED. SOURCE REPORTS 8 PROBABLE FIELD ARTILLERY PIECES, APPROX 88 TRUCKS, 38 VEHICLES AND SOME OPEN STORAGE AT HOMS MILITARY INSTALLATION. TWO TRUCKS AND SOME OPEN STORAGE AT QARACH AMMO DUMP.

SYRIA AS OF 18 MAY.

3.1. AIRFIELDS:

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PRECEDENCE

- A. ALEPPO: 5 METEORS, 24 T-6 TYPE.
- B. QAMICHLIYE: 1 C-47.
- C. NO AIRCRAFT AT DJERAH AND T-3 AIRFIELDS.
- D. NO AIRCRAFT OR ACTIVITY AT BAB EL HAOUA,  
DEIR EZ ZOR, EL HASEKE, PALMYRA, T-2 AND T-4 AIRFIELDS.
- E. FIVE TRUCKS AT RAZIN EL ABOUD AIRFIELD BUT NO  
AIRCRAFT.
- F. NO UNUSUAL ACTIVITY NOTED VICINITY QAMLICHLIYE  
RAILROAD STATION. NO AIRFIELD AT BIR JEZEL OR ANY  
INDICATION OF MILITARY ACTIVITY.

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